

Robert L. "Bob" Williams-Democrat- Lt. Governor

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Age:

49

Place of Birth:

Palmer, Alaska

Name of Spouse:

Connie

Children's Names:

Kevin and Cassidy

Occupation:

Calculus and Geometry Teacher

Length of Residency in Alaska:

45

Alaskan communities lived in:

Mat-Su 1964-1982, 1987, 1994-Present, Fairbanks 1982-1986,
Nome 1991-1994

Education:

Palmer High, 1978-1982

University of Alaska Fairbanks, 1982-1986, B.S. Petroleum Engineering

Columbia University, 1989-1991, M.A. Mathematics Education

University of Alaska Anchorage, 2005-2006, M.Ed. Educational Leadership

Political and Government Positions:

Alaska Statewide Mentorship Project, 2004-2006, mentored in Savoonga, Gambell,
Nome and Mat-Su

Business and Professional Positions:

Aspen Teacher Leader Fellow, 2012-2013, (one of twenty nationally)

President of Alaska Council of Teachers of Mathematics, 2011-2013

Board of Directors for National Network of State Teachers of the Year (NNSTOY), 2011-
Present

NNSTOY Research Committee Chair, 2012-Present

Service Organizations Membership:

Peace Corps Volunteer, The Gambia, West Africa, 1987-1989

Special Interests:

hiking, biking, dipnetting, fishing

Other (Biographical Information Only):

Awards and Honors:

Alaska 2009 Teacher of the Year

Presidential Award for Excellence in Mathematics Teaching, 2009

2010 Horace Mann Teaching Excellence Award (one of five nationally),

International Teacher Presenter at the 2010 Singapore Education Conference (one of ten teachers world-wide)

Statement:

The primary role of Alaska's Lt. Governor is to oversee our elections and to protect our state seal. Overseeing our state's elections is not something to be taken lightly.

I've knocked on doors and visited Mat-Su, Fairbanks, Anchorage, Homer, Glennallen, Kotzebue, Juneau, Kenai, Douglas, Teller, Fox, Aleknagik, Napakiak, Napaskiak, Bethel, Nome, Copper Center and Tanana,

I've listened to many Alaskans that do not believe their state government listens to them or cares.

That has to change.

I have two decades of experience building trust in my classroom and in my community. I will do the same as Lt Governor. I am strongly committed to a strong economy, to second amendment rights, to rural Alaska, and to a quality public education for all Alaskans.

My father came to Alaska in 1949, owned a one-man sawmill and had a career-high logging income of \$26,000. My mother was a devoted nurse. Being the son of a logger and a nurse developed the strong work ethic in me that I can't wait to bring to the office of Lt. Governor.

I've more than doubled the number of students in AP Calculus at Colony High by building enthusiasm through school-wide math assemblies.

Since the Lt Governor oversees the Division of Elections, I will build enthusiasm and increase voter participation through listening, outreach, effective translations, and "Voting By Mail." All Alaskans that are eligible to vote will feel welcomed and respected.

Please ask for the open ballot and vote for Bob Williams on August 19th.



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